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A TREATISE ON TRUSTS.

During recent years there have arisen those combinations in trade, known as "trusts." In their present form and management these combinations are quite new—though the monopolistic principles on which they are based are as old as civilization. Formerly monopolies were granted to favorites of royalty on nearly all the necessaries of life; but this system, odious and oppressive as it was, fell short of the effectiveness of the modern trusts. In a speech in the "Long Parliament," Sir John Culpepper said of the monopolies that had been created by the kings of England: "They are a nest of wasps—a swarm of vermin which have overcrept the land. Like the frogs of Egypt, they have gotten possession of our dwellings, and we have scarce a room free from them. They sup in our cup; they dip in our dish; they sit by our fire. We find them in the dye-fat, wash-bowl and powdering tub. They share with the butler in his box. They will not bate us a pin. We may not buy our clothes without their brokage. These are the leeches that have sucked the commonwealth so hard that it is almost hectical." These were among the abuses that cost Charles I. his head.

Of late there has been much discussion of "Trusts" and their tendency. The best thing we have seen of this kind is a pamphlet of about seventy pages, by W. W. Cook, Esq., of the New York board. The author describes a trust as "a combination of many competing concerns under one management, which thereby reduces the cost, regulates the amount of production and increases the price for which the article is sold. It is either a monopoly or an endeavor to establish a monopoly. Its purpose is to make larger profits by decreasing cost, limiting production and increasing the price to the consumer." Thus the trust "is at once a monument to American genius and a symbol of American rapacity." The organization of the trust is "intricate, secret and subtle," and of "a nature calculated to baffle investigation."

The writer examines at some length the modes upon which trusts are organized, their relations to law and to public policy; the powers, duties and liabilities, in the present state of the law, of who are trustees of the "combine," and the future of "trusts" in the coming conflict between them and the people. This discussion he has enriched by citations from all the great law writers and all the judicial decisions that throw light on the subject. He concludes that the one great obstacle which the trust cannot remove or override is that it is "a monopoly, and a combination in restraint of trade," and as such illegal and void. Hence such a trust could make no binding contract. It could no more maintain an action in court than one thief could maintain an action against another thief to recover or enforce a fair division of stolen property. A long line of legal decisions fully sustains the view that the courts would not aid any of the parties to a conspiracy for the commission of any acts injurious to commerce. This is a fixed starting point. From it the people will move against that public robber known as the trust and destroy it. The way is not yet clear, but it will be opened, just as a way was opened of dealing with the railroads, which during forty years were beyond legislative control. "There can be no compromise," says Mr. Cook, "between a monopoly and an Anglo-Saxon people. They never have existed together. The modern 'trust' has yet to meet this tendency of the race. It will go down in the struggle against the instincts, self-reliance and fertile intellect of a race of men who for 500 years have come to no compromise with monopoly."

THE COEUR D'ALENE RESERVATION.

The board of trade on Monday night passed resolutions, at the instance of Mr. L. S. Shipley, looking to the opening of the Coeur d'Alene Indian reservation or an important modification of its boundary lines. The reservation as it now stands is five times larger than it need be, and includes besides the lands necessary for and valuable to the Indians, large bodies of grazing, timber and mineral lands, and two navigable rivers. Further, it bars the way against proposed and necessary railways connecting the Coeur d'Alene mining district with the seaboard by the direct and natural route. These facts are admitted by the authorities at Washington, the commissioner of Indian affairs having declared officially that the reservation might be curtailed "without detriment."

It is understood that the delay in carrying out the suggestion of the commissioner is due to a proposition to submit a general measure permitting mining on all reservations where gold or precious metals exist. Among the Northwestern reservations proposed to be thus included are the Colville and the Nez Perce. It would seem, in view of the adverse report of the commissioner of Indian affairs in respect to the Colville, made to the secretary of the interior on the 11th ult., that further effort toward the opening of that reservation would be futile. In the case of the Nez Perces it is altogether probable that the same objections would hold good. If the Coeur d'Alene is to wait for an omnibus bill including all these reservations, the outcome seems too far ahead to think about.

To avoid confusion and delay the best policy would be to make the scheme of opening the Coeur d'Alene reservation a specific object; and those who urge it in congress should focus their efforts to the opening of the Coeur d'Alene alone. To this end a special bill should be introduced at once. The financial and business interests of the state and of Portland in the Coeur d'Alene region are very large and constantly growing. Speedy opening of the reservation is greatly desired by and of vast importance to our mining people, and not more to them than to the general business community of Portland and the producers of the country at large.

The mines on the Coeur d'Alene reservation are not the only resources which the measure proposed would bring into immediate value. Mr. Shipley, who has been active in promoting the "re-boundary" scheme, states that the timber and stock-grazing possibilities of the reservation equal, if indeed they do not exceed, the mineral wealth of the area proposed to be opened. The advent of the lumberman, the stockgrower and the miner in the Coeur d'Alene district will speedily enlarge and enrich the volume of general business in the Northwest. It is a field worth extraordinary effort to obtain. It is the duty of our representatives to give their assistance in the matter. This will best be given, judging from present indications, by concentration of effort upon the Coeur d'Alene alone.

MAYOR GATES'S SUGGESTION.

Mr. Gates's plan, as outlined in his letter to the board of trade, for maintaining deep ship channels between Portland and the sea is entirely feasible. His practical experience in the past six years fully warrants the assertion that with a proper boat, fully equipped and ready always when wanted, he can keep the channels down to any depth that may be desired. No other plan so economical and effective has yet been proposed; nor is there any other way by which the work can be done so well and at such small cost.

There is not likely to be any solution of the commercial problems now before the people of Oregon that will not leave the work of maintaining deep water between Portland and the sea, to the citizens of Portland. The laws and private interests, working together, will reform the overcharges at the bar and the abuses practiced in connection with towage and pilotage, but if Portland would retain her status as a port she must make a free channel for ships to her docks. If she does not, ships will load at Astoria or at some other point on the lower river.

Mr. Gates's plan involves a considerable outlay at the beginning, but the plant once secured, it is believed that there would be no further expense. The earnings of the vessel which he proposes to build, would more than pay all charges for operation and repairs.

Henry Bergh, the eccentric philanthropist of New York city, who twenty years ago secured the incorporation of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, is dead. Mr. Bergh carried on this work for years in face of derision, opposition and obloquy; but long before his death he had won over the whole public to his side, and he had no warmer friend and supporter than the owners of dray horses, car horses, hack lines, etc., who soon found out that their stock was secure from abuse by their employes because of Mr. Bergh and the constables of his society. Out of Mr. Bergh's initial efforts grew no less than ninety humane societies in every part of the Union, each having many branches. Thirty of these societies have dealt since their organization with the cases of 180,000 cruelly treated animals and 110,000 cruelly treated children.

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The abuses attending the shipment of sailors at Astoria are so serious that Capt. Allan Noyes declares our port to be "a stink in the nostrils of the commercial world." Having sailed the seas for many years, visiting all parts of the world, he declares that there is no other place where so much lying and force is used to take men from vessels. "It is a disgrace," he adds, "to the whole river and state that we have done nothing to stop this piracy." Referring to the same abuse, Mr. Laidlaw, the British vice-consul, declares that "Astoria is the very worst place on the face of the globe in this respect." It is openly asserted that the local courts at Astoria are in full partnership with those who persecute sailors, and that "half of the grand jury is composed of this obnoxious element."

These are serious charges, and they are made by men of character and standing. If they are true, and unquestionably they are true, a system of actual piracy is practiced at Astoria, and with the help of the officers of the law. If so, Thomas A. McBride of Oregon City, a man both capable and honest, is the prosecuting officer for the state for the district which includes Astoria. To him these charges are respectfully referred. It is his duty to go to Astoria, to probe this matter to the bottom, and to lay upon these abuses the strong hand of the law. If he finds it impossible to enforce a reform, through the complicity of the grand jury in the alleged abuses, then let the facts be known. It is, we believe, within the authority of the court to dissolve such a grand jury, but if it is not, the people of Astoria will find a way to do it.

Judge Gresham talks sensibly. To one who proposed to him that he might be a candidate for the presidency, he said:

> There is no agony like that of destroyed hope or ambition. Go out among men and pick out those who are miserable and who are they? The men who allowed themselves to believe that they were entitled to something better than what they got. I know men who will be wretched as long as they live, simply because they were ambitious and failed. I want none of it. Life is too short for us to make ourselves wretched by any process. I want no fanciful ambition. I want to spend my old age in peace, firm in the conviction that I did as near right as I could.

An election for members of the new democratic city committee was held in Philadelphia on the 5th inst., and the Randall element of the party had an actual majority in the committees of sixteen out of the thirty-one wards in the city, and there was a fair chance for dispute as to which faction controlled the committees of two other wards. Reading Randall out of the party is a big contract for Cleveland.

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WANTED—A PLACE AS HOUSEKEEPER ON a farm. Address M. A. Palmer, Dayton, Or.

WANTED—A POSITION AS BOOKKEEPER by a competent and energetic young man. Address A B care Oregonian.

WANTED—BY A HEALTHY YOUNG WOMAN, a situation as wet nurse; references given. Address M D, care Oregonian.

WANTED—A SITUATION FOR A GERMAN girl to do up stairs work or as servant in a small family. Inquire Water street, between K and L, East Portland.

AN ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN OF LIBERAL education, speaking and writing the German language fluently and correctly, would like a position in real estate office. Address H S, care Oregonian.

A FIRST-CLASS CHEESE MAKER DESIRES A position; had first prize at Montreal, Canada, in 1858, and first prize at Eugene, Or., in 1885-'87; also first prize at Mechanics' Fair, Portland, in '87. Address R. MESSIER, McMinnville, Or.

AN ELDERLY LADY WISHES A SITUATION as nurse; city or country. Apply at 106 Washington st, between 9 and 12 A M.

WANTED—AGENTS.

1000 LADY AGENTS WANTED IMMEDIately; grand new rubber undergarment for females. $10 a day; proof free. Mrs. H. F. Lidle, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A SADDLE HORSE. ADDRESS H. E. H., this office. State age, color and price.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN, A CLEAN and well comfortably furnished room, price not to exceed $6 per month. Address M F care Oregonian.

WANTED—TO RENT A STOCK RANCH, OR work for wages by a man who thoroughly understands handling horses and cattle. Address Farmer, care Oregonian.

BOARDERS WANTED—FIRST-CLASS TABLE board. 73 B street, corner Fourth.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REMOVED—THE OFFICE OF THE AMERIcan Laundry has been removed to 130 First st, corner Ash.

REMOVED—HERMANN METZGERIUS HIDE and Wool Depot has removed to 226 and 228 Front street, between Salmon and Main.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—TATUM & BOWEN will remove on Feb. 1st to their new store, 127 Front street, between Washington and Alder, where they will carry full line of Machinery and Printers' supplies.

DR. SHIP STOCKBRIDGE, CAPTAIN SCHOONER from San Pedro.—Neither the Master nor the undersigned Consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew.
C. CESAR & CO., Consignees.

ASSIGNEE SALE—SEALED BIDS WILL BE received at my office, over the Bank of British Columbia, corner First and Washington streets, Portland, Or., for the entire stock of goods and fixtures formerly belonging to Ma Lee & Co. until noon of Saturday, the 17th day of March. The stock and inventory can be seen and examined in the store formerly occupied by Ma Lee & Co., on Washington street, near Second, and next door to the Portland Savings Bank. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved. Terms Cash.
I. R. DAWSON, Assignee Ma Lee & Co.

JOHN THOMPSON & CO. HAVE BEEN APpointed Agents for the Purchase of Rag Stock for the Columbia River Paper Company, and are prepared to purchase, for cash, Rags, Burlaps, Manila Scrap and all other kinds of Paper Stock. Old Iron and Metal of all kinds. 42 and 47 First st., Portland, Or.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH SMALL CAPital in one of the best paying saloons in the city. Address H, care Oregonian.

SADDLERY AND HARNESS BUSINESS AT cost. Apply to F. J. Crumb, 123 Front st. Store possession given purchaser.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—MILK BUSINESS OF seven cows, with cans, route and wagon; the best paying route of the size in the city. Address Milk Route, care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—A CONTROLLING INTEREST IN one of the largest and best paying flouring mill properties in Eastern Oregon; under thirty-mile circuit of railroad lands. Apply to EUGENE D. WHITE, Real Estate Agent, northwest corner First and Alder, rooms B C and D, second floor.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—ON THE McMINNVILLE TRAIN Monday morning, a gold band ring with gold quartz setting. Owner may recover same by paying for this notice to the clerk of the chief Hotel.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH, IN THIRD ST. car or near corner Third and Alder. Return to this office and receive reward.

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

ALLEN & LEWIS, WHOLESALE GROCERS, corner N. Front and D sts., Portland, Or.

CORBITT & MACLEAY, WHOLESALE GROCERS and Commission Merchants, 86 and 88 Front st, Portland.

WADHAMS & KILLOTT, WHOLESALE GROCERS Forwarding and Commission Merchants, Nos. 44 and 46 Front street, Portland, Or.

WHOLESALE CLOTHIERS.

OREGON OIL CLOTHING MANUFACTURING company, 62 North First st. Factory in McMillan Addition, East Portland.

NEUSTADTER BROS., MANUFACTURERS OF Boss of the Road Overalls, Standard Shirts, Men's Furnishing Goods and Cal. Cassimere Clothing 67, 69, 71 Front st., Portland, Or.

WALL PAPER AND WINDOW SHADES.

FORBORGEN & CO., JOBBERS AND RETAIL ers of wall paper and window shades. The leading wall paper house of the Northwest. New designs constantly arriving. 197 and 199 Third street.

NEW TO-DAY.

TO RENT—ROOMS AND OFFICES.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHed rooms at 309 Morrison street. 1m1m

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOMS IN PRIvate family, with board; $5 per week. S E corner Fifth and J, East Portland. 12m3

FOR RENT—A NICE SUITE OF ROOMS; USE of bath; at 285 Washington st; reference required.

FOR RENT—LARGE FRONT ALCOVE ROOM, newly furnished, $10; gentlemen preferred; modern conveniences, private family. 220 Yamhill street.

DESK, OR OFFICE ROOM FOR RENT—IN a central desirable location. Apply to O. W. Dustin, Real Estate, No. 3 Morrison street. 4mf

FOR RENT—COMFORTABLY FURNISHED rooms to respectable parties, very reasonable, at 42 Fourth st, corner Ash. 8m1m

ROOMS TO LET IN THE CULLY BLOCK, Fourth and J sts, East Portland, suitable either for offices or for the accommodation of families or single gentlemen. Rent reasonable. Apply on the premises. 12m6

FOR RENT—PLEASANT FURNISHED FRONT rooms, convenient for housekeeping, in a small family. Inquire at 448 East Park street. 20tf

FOR RENT—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS EN suite and single, use of bath; also unfurnished rooms. 51 Morrison street, N. w. cor Seventh. 24tm

FOR RENT—IN THE STONE BLOCK, FIRST and Market streets, to respectable parties without children, one suite of rooms, handsomely furnished. 11mf

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS, FIRST FLOOR, kitchen partly furnished, cellar, bath, hot water, pantry. Best location. 3 blocks from Postoffice, no children wanted. Add., with references, Boz 1417.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED BAY windows rooms, some en suite; furnished and unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. 272 First st, 4m1

TO RENT—HOUSES AND STORES.

FOR RENT—TWO STORY BRICK 22x100; NO 125 Front st. Inquire of M. C. LYON. 1mtf

HOUSE OF TEN ROOMS FOR RENT BY THE first of April; furniture for sale. Inquire at 334 Morrison street. 13m3

FOR RENT—IN EAST PORTLAND—9-ROOM house in thorough repair; rent $20 per month; apply to WM. DALTON, East Portland. 4tmf

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT—6 ROOMS and bath; hot and cold water; for term of 6 months; no children; references required. 252 Third street, cor Jefferson. 9mtf

FOR RENT—A FAMILY RESIDENCE AT NET. Tabor, delightfully situated and commanding a perfect panorama of magnificent scenery. Apply to J. FRED CLARK & SONS, 13 Stark st. 2mtf

TO LET—HOUSE NO. 215 TENTH ST. NOW occupied by Mr. Samuel Hellshu; possession given April 1. Call to see it at any time. 26tf

TO RENT—ROOMS, WITH BOARD.

FOR RENT—WITH BOARD, NICELY FURnished rooms en suite or single. 201 Seventh st, corner of Taylor.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—CHOICE OF 5 QUARTER BLOCKS in East Portland for $700 each. 9mtf
J. FRED CLARK & SONS, 13 Stark street.

FOR SALE—THREE ACRES, FIVE BLOCKS from city, on Sandy road; two fine choice residence properties, central part of city. Either or all at a great bargain. Address or inquire at 324 East Park street, city. 13m2

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND TWO LOTS; LOTS 5 and 6 Block 30, Albina, adjoining old school house. Price $1300; cost $1600. Inquire at Albina Hotel, Albina, Oregon.

FOR SALE—IN FRUIT VALE, MOUNT TABOR addition, a few lots of choice land for small fruit-raising qualities, in lots ranging from 5 to 10 acres each, cheap. J. FRED CLARK & SONS, 13 Stark st.

$2500 WILL BUY HALF INTEREST IN general merchandise store, two miles from Portland; best business opportunity in the northwest. Inquire of H. E. BATTIN & CO, 120 Front st, Portland.

$2600 WILL BUY SEVEN ELEGANT LOTS on the corner of Fifth and Jefferson streets; all level and commanding splendid view. This is a bargain, and is offered for a few days only. CAMPBELL & HILL, Estate Interest, Albina.

FOR SALE—A CHOICE AND SIGHTLY QUARter block. With a fine 10-story dwelling on it, situated as cor. Front and Woodstock, will be sold at a bargain. For particulars, inquire of Portland Trust Company of Oregon, 69½ and 64.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, 2½ MILES FROM EAST Portland; partly cleared, fine fruit and berry land for the very low price of $100 per Acre. 10 acres near Willsburg; 7 acres in good state of cultivation, good house, small orchard, some small fruit and berries; the rich level land is offered for $200 per acre. 120 acres on Johnson's creek, 6 miles from Portland, at $40 per acre; good bottom land, can be irrigated from the springs; timber alone is worth the money. This is a very rare bargain at $40 per acre.
LOGAN & McCOY,
cor 4th and Ash sts, E. Portland.

GARDENERS, ATTENTION—WILL SELL OR lease a highly improved twelve-acre garden in town of Union, Or., brick cellar, frame dwelling house, hog and chicken houses, front pond, 200 fruit trees, plenty running water, good well, etc.; a ready cash market for all the fresh vegetables raised. For particulars, apply to or address Wilzinski Bros. & Co., cor Front and Pine st, Portland, Or.

$300—LOOK! LOOK! "MY STORE IS returned; sell my property in Albina." We have just received the above from the owner of block 35, in Multnomah. There are 20 lots, including two corners, each 50x100 feet, with 50-foot alley. They face on the county road, and are but a few steps west from the new Congregational church, all cleared and the very choicest of all Multnomah, being just upon the hill. We will be ready to show them on Wednesday, March 21st, 2 P M. Abstract of property furnished; price, $30 cash, or $525 on installments. Come and see us before we sell. Remember the price is the same to-day as it will be when they are sold. Only at THOMPSON & MENEFEE.
1 tue Albina next to Postoffice

SMALL FARM FOR SALE—NINETEEN MILES by boat from or in Portland, on the N. P. R. R. Steamboat depot, store, postoffice and school house near. Contains 67 acres choice level land, 60 bids prairie, all fenced, most in good cultivation; house, barn, and other buildings. Terms easy. For particulars, apply to J. FRED CLARK & SONS 13 Stark street Portland. 12m3 7tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

A FIRE PROOF SAFE FOR SALE—MEDIUM size, late style and in good order; price $90. 13mtf TELFER, STEARNS & CO., 7 Stark street.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL SORREL HORSE, an excellent roadster. American stable, cor. Front and Jefferson streets. 9mtf

FOR SALE—A NEW THREE-QUARTER SIDE bar buggy, cheap. Inquire at American Stable, corner Front and Jefferson sts. 8m7

FOR SALE—COMPLETE OUTFIT OF ELEGANT bar fixtures. Apply corner of Third and Ash sts. 6tf F. BOTEFUHR.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MISS M. WESLEY, STEAM BATHS AND Magnetic Treatment, Multnomah Block, room 26, corner Morrison and Fifth streets. Office hours, 9 to 12 A M, 1 to 5, 7 to 9 P M. 7mf

LADIES' SAFE POWDERS—ALWAYS SAFE; always sure; never fail; over 5000 ladies have given testimonials; sent by mail for $5. Address Dr. LaVeere, Portland, Oregon. 28tfm

MAGNETIC HEALING—DR S. H. TRYON, THE great healer, office room 24, a cond floor, Ladd's building, corner First and Columbia streets, Portland, Oregon. 11 m7

CLAIRVOYANT—MRS. F. BROWN, NATURAL Clairvoyant, tells past, present and future; gives advice and tells results of business transactions, lawsuits, etc., at 293 First st., corner Salmon. Sittings, half hour, 50 cents; $2. Satisfaction guaranteed or no pay. 10m1

MME. NELSON, THE GREAT SEERESS, TELLS past, present and future. Consultations on all affairs from 9 A M. to 8 P M. Ladies $1, gentlemen $2. 124 Sixth st, between Sixth and Seventh.

MRS. DR. STRASSMAN SELLS SPECIFIC cure and safe remedies for female irregularities of monthly periods, no matter from what cause; never fail in any case; $5. 168 Post st, San Francisco. 2 Prs.

MRS. T. B. McMILLEN, PSYCHOMETRIST and magnetic healer, hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., Residence on First between C and D, McMillen's addition, East Portland. 15tf

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

SUTTON & BEEBE, SHIP CHANDLERY AND naval stores, 16 N. Front st., Portland, Or.

ALLEN & LEWIS, COMMISSION AND PRODUCE Merchants, Front and D sts, Portland, Or.

H. E. BATTIN & CO., GENERAL COMMISSION merchants and Dealers, 120 Front st.

C. CESAR & CO., SHIPPING AND COMMISsion Merchants, 20 North Front street, Portland.

MASON, EHRMAN & CO., WHOLESALE Grocers and commission merchants, Nos. 1 and 3 North Front street, Portland, Or.

MILLER & WEST—J. C. MILLER, W. H. WEST, commission merchants in grain, and dairy produce, 151 Front st, between Washington and Stark.

TAYLOR, YOUNG & CO., SHIP BROKERS AND Commission Merchants; agents for San Juan Archipelago Lime Co. 24 Front street, cor. Ash st.

J. O'CONNOR, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL grocer, dealer in ship stores, garden and grass seeds, foreign and domestic fruits, etc. N. E. corner Front and Alder streets, Portland, Or.

G. COHN & BRO, WHOLESALE GROCERS AND Com'n Merchants, 168 and 170 Front, bet Morrison and Yamhill. Consignments solicited on lowest rates of commission. Market reports regularly furnished.

HERMAN METZGER, PURCHASER OF HIDES Pelts, Furs, Wool and Tallow, and General Commission Merchant, Front st, bet Main and Madison,

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

SHOULD BE LOCKED UP.—The case of John Martin, accused of stealing a horse from Charles Clayson, the keeper of a stable on Front and Salmon streets, was dismissed yesterday in the police court. It seems that although Martin did not show up after borrowing the horse, the horse did, being brought back a day or so afterwards by some stockman, who had found the animal straying out in the country. Constable Hill, of Albina, took charge of Martin as soon as he was dismissed. He is wanted in Albina for taking a horse and buggy last summer and driving out to Lafayette. He left the rig at a stable and then disappeared. A number of lost such stories are told of Martin. He don't seem to try and sell or make away with the horses, but seems to have a penchant for hiring livery rigs and going off for an all day ride leaving the outfit wherever he happens to wind up at. One story is told of him that he hired a buggy and a span of horses and drove them until they dropped in the road and were afterwards found dead. He is, to say the least a kleptomaniac.

STAGE ROUTE TO RUBY CITY.—Fred R. Reed superintendent of the Yakima & Salmon River Road and Ferry Company, running from North Yakima to Ruby City, arrived in Portland yesterday. He states that the company have recently purchased the steam ferry Rattler, heretofore stationed at Columbus, on the Columbia river, which will be run up the river to Priest rapids, where it will be employed to transfer passengers and freight on the company's route. Regular stages will be run from North Yakima to the ferry, a distance of twenty six miles, and from there on via the White Bluff stage road to the second crossing of the Columbia, at the mouth of Foster creek, fifty five miles, thence on up the Okanagan river to Ruby City forty three miles. First-class passenger coaches are on the line, and all facilities for transporting freight and express matter in a short time at reasonable rates have been made by the company.

REPORTED CUT IN FREIGHT RATES.—An unofficial report has been received from St. Paul that the Northern Pacific will shortly reduce freight rates from St. Paul and Minneapolis to Helena, Mont., about 25 per cent on all classes. The reductions will be made, it is said, to enable the Helena merchants to do a larger jobbing business than heretofore, but the real cause for making the cut is attributed to a desire of the Northern to meet a recent reduction put on the part of the Manitoba line. The rates now in force from St. Paul and Minneapolis to Helena are $40, $35, $31 75, $1 50, $1 30, $1 25, $1, and 90, 80 and 70 cents, according to class. The same rates are in effect from Portland to Helena, and they will be reduced if those from St. Paul and Minneapolis are, as it is the custom to make the rates from the Eastern and Pacific coast terminals to Helena uniform.

SOLD WHISKY TO AN INDIAN.—Deputy U. S. Marshal Roberts arrested Miss Annetche, a saloon keeper on the corner of Front and Salmon streets yesterday, charged with selling liquor to a Grand Ronde Indian named Alpha Sexton. Annetche had a hearing before United States Commissioner Lamson yesterday, and was bound over in the sum of $200 to appear for his trial. John Sam was committed to the county jail to insure his presence as prosecuting witness. On being searched two bottles of proof whisky were found in his pocket and he had a two-gallon jug on hand. The chances are that John becomes obstreperous, was ejected from Annetche's saloon, and thinking himself wronged, he straightway lodged a complaint.

ORE IN BETTER DEMAND.—Mr. Van B. Delashmutt returned from San Francisco yesterday. Behind a long talk with A. J. Balmer, president of the Selby Smelting Works, in regard to shipping Coeur d'Alene ores to San Francisco. Some of these ores, such as that from the Sierra Nevada mine are particularly desired in San Francisco, but the only way open to securing them is for the parties desiring them to raise the price. If the same rates could be obtained from Coeur d'Alene to Portland as are charged from there to Wickes, concentrates could be sold in San Francisco so as to afford miners about $10 a ton more profit. Ores are in much better demand and bring about $4 per ton more than they did two months ago.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.—The delayed west bound train, due here at 8 o'clock last night, says the *East Oregonian*, came in this forenoon at 11 30, being sixteen and a half hours late. The delay was on the Short Line, caused by running into a band of cattle. There are a couple of trucks off the track near Nampa, Idaho, and lastly, a hand car was run into in coming down the mountain this morning, causing considerable delay. The train was made up of three emigrant sleepers, two first-class sleepers and the mail and express cars. The sleeper from the Walla Walla branch was laid here all night was taken on here instead as the train was pulling out a coupling next the engine broke, causing a slight delay.

CRIMINAL MATTERS.—Yesterday Judge Stearns denied the motion for a new trial for Wm. R. Day, convicted of feloniously assaulting Miss Ada Drouet, and sentenced him to the penitentiary for one year. Judge Stearns reviewed the numerous affidavits which have been filed, and thought they revealed no new evidence. He believed that Miss Drouet was not aware of the nature of the affidavit exonerating Day when she signed it and thought her second revealing the previous one was true. The case will be appealed to the supreme court. Al. Herron who pleaded guilty of larceny in a dwelling, and Al Frazier who robbed J. Delmeter of a watch chain were sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

TO BE TORN DOWN.—An office for the accommodation of Mr. George Loderle, engineer in charge of the construction of the railroad bridge, has been fitted up in the south end of the Albina work, and the old commissary building in which his office has been located is to be torn down to make room for the approach to the bridge. This building is an old landmark having been built early in the sixties for a distillery. It was run by Capt. J. W. Buchanan for about six months in the year up to 1869. It was then used for a few years as a warehouse and since that time has been the commissary building of the O. R. & N. Co. The walls are badly cracked and it is high time it was taken down. The work of demolition has already been commenced.

ANOTHER BIRD ADDED TO OUR FAUNA.—Among other delicacies imported by the Chinese from their native land is a species of quail about the size of a robin. They are pretty little things, but it would take several of them to make a meal for a hungry man. Mr. Frank Dekum has purchased a lot of these birds to send up to Judge Waldo's farm, in the Waldo hills, Marion county. There are a few of the little fellows there now which are quite tame, and come out of the bushes to eat with the chickens. Judge Waldo has some Mongolian pheasants and some Bob White quail on his farm, and as shooting is not allowed around there they are thriving, and in other respects are doing quite well."

SALE OF SMUGGLED OPIUM.—A lot of opium 160 five-tael boxes in all, was sold at public auction yesterday morning at the bonded warehouse. It was sold in four separate lots, the price ranging from $12 to $12 45. There were also two trunks and wearing apparel, belonging to Mrs. Elizabeth Minor, the female smuggler from the Mound. The man who bought the property paid $6 for it and a few minutes later another man, claiming to be a brother-in-law of the woman, came along and bought it from him, paying $10.

AND IT WAS LOADED.—A few days ago Martin Young, who lives at Andrew Johnson's place, on Young's river Clatsop county, was cleaning his pistol when the aforesaid was accidentally discharged, the bullet as usual, taking effect. It hit him in the palm of the hand, ranging upward through the wrist and forearm from whence it was deftly extracted Monday morning. Young is nursing his lame hand very patiently and will take pains to see that the next pistol he attempts to clean is not loaded.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.—The suit of H Swift Jr. vs M F Mulkey and Wm Lair Hill was on trial before Judge Stearns yesterday afternoon. It was an action of ejectment to recover possession of sixty acres of land near Columbia slough. The property was sold under execution to R. Henry from whom defendants purchased it nearly twenty years ago. Swift avers that he inherited the property from his parents. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendants.

CASE DISMISSED.—The case of James N Green accused of timber cutting on public lands was dismissed yesterday in the United States circuit court on a motion from the district attorney. The motion to dismiss was no doubt the result of a former decision of Judge Deady's in a similar case. Green claims that he went on the land on a homestead claim. He no doubt cut and sold the timber to some mill men but he afterwards filed on the land and bought it.

A HOLYDAY.—To-day is a holyday not in the literal sense of the word but constituted so by virtue of the extraordinary beautiful attractions which are offered to the public this morning by Messrs Meilis & Co. It is the first day of their spring millinery opening. A veritable fairy display is promised and it is safe to assert that crowds of ladies will avail themselves of the opportunity to see the establishment in its spring habiliments.

BARNS BURNED.—From Mr. David B. Scott of Fox Valley, who is in the city as a juryman from that precinct, it is learned that two barns, owned by John Heischaic, were burned at that place Thursday night says an Albany paper. One of the barns was a large new structure and contained forty tons of hay. No one was on the premises when the fire occurred and its origin cannot be accounted for. Neither one of the barns were insured.

WHEAT STANDARDS.—At the board of trade meeting Monday evening President Macleay was empowered to appoint a committee of grain exporters to form standards of Oregon and Walla Walla wheat and send samples to the Liverpool Corn Trade Association. Yesterday Mr. Macleay appointed the committee as follows: O. Kessler & Co., Balfour, Guthrie & Co. Portland Shipping Company.

TABERNACLE ORDERED OFF.—The Tabernacle Company have been notified to remove their building. It is understood that Grace church is having plans prepared for a church to be erected soon on the lot now occupied by the Tabernacle. It is to be regretted that the building is to be torn down and the city thus deprived of a suitable place for large public gatherings. If possible the Tabernacle should be removed to some other location.

AN ADJOURNED MEETING.—An adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Portland Cable railway will be held to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Ainsworth National Bank. It is important that there should be a full attendance to take action on the report from the committee who have returned from San Francisco, and such other business as will come before the meeting.

DIRECTORS ELECTED.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Portland Reduction Works held yesterday, the following board of directors was elected for the ensuing year: W S Ladd S. G Reed, James Steel, Charles F. Powell, James Lotan F J Carrel W A Jones.

NO PLACE LIKE OREGON.—Readers of THE OREGONIAN yesterday morning must have felt thankful that they lived in Oregon instead of New York. Here, instead of the deadly blizzard, we have the balmy south wind and bright, warm sunshine, with leaves expanding, buds bursting, flowers blooming and birds singing. Despite all slanders, Oregon has without doubt the best climate of any state in the Union, and all chronic growlers and unacclimated tenderfeet will do well to make a note of the fact.

SAME OLD STORY.—In the state circuit court yesterday, Christina Mattsdatter Koarakka sued John J. Koarakka for a divorce and the custody of their two minor children. They were married in Klickitat county, W. T., in August, 1884. Plaintiff alleges that her husband has treated her cruelly and inhumanly, failed to provide for her and has become enamored of other women.

THE HATCHERY CHANGES HANDS.—The stockholders of the Oregon & Washington Fish Propagating Company held a meeting Monday evening and passed a resolution directing the president and directors to turn over their hatchery on the Clackamas river to the United States fish commission for a nominal sum. The hatchery will be transferred in a few days.

WANTS HIS GOODS.—The suit of H. R. Duel way vs. C. E. Angell was on trial in state circuit court No. 1 yesterday. Plaintiff seeks to recover certain goods and chattels unlawfully taken by defendants, and in case delivery can not be made he asks judgment for $900, the value of the goods and $100 damages. The trial will be resumed this morning.

HECTOR NOT COMING.—A telegram received from Rev. J. H. Hecter, the colored orator announces that on account of sickness he is compelled to cancel all engagements. He will not, therefore, lecture to-night in Y. M. C. A. hall.

IN NEW YORK.—Mr. D. Solis Cohen of Cohen Davis & Co., left for New York recently. He carries large orders for campaign goods and will have on sale a complete line suitable for political clubs and demonstrations.

SOCIAL.—The ladies of Taylor street church will give one of their pleasant socials this evening. Admission 10 cents.

SWEET SONGSTERS.

LARGE NUMBERS OF NIGHTINGALES, SKY LARKS, FINCHES, STARLINGS, ETC., TO BE BROUGHT HERE FROM GERMANY.

Some time since an OREGONIAN reporter seeing that a figure of a stork in Baum & Brandes' window attracted a great deal of attention, ventured the suggestion that some of our citizens of German birth send to the fatherland for a few storks to be turned loose here. The suggestion bore fruit for Mr. Frank Dekum at once said he would contribute $250 toward importing birds from Germany here. It was found to be impracticable to bring storks as they are scarce and would cost $40 to $70 per pair, and would be difficult to transport, and probably difficult to acclimate, and so Jay would be brought they would be liable to die off or to migrate and forget to come back. It was thought better to import some of the numerous varieties of singing birds which are so plentiful in Germany as Oregon for some reason is very poor in such birds. Outside of the robin and meadow lark which have some sweet notes, but can hardly be considered to possess sustained powers of song, this coast cannot boast of any song birds, worth the name. The matter was taken in hand by Mr. C. F. Pfluger, and about $1000 has been subscribed by citizens of German birth. Arrangements have been completed with a party in the Hartz forest to secure a number of nightingales, sky larks, bullfinches, chaffinches goldfinches, greenfinches black and gray thrushes linnets, starlings and other singing birds, in all between 500 and 600. They will be caught during the coming summer and fall and will arrive here next spring, when they will be turned loose in such places in this city and vicinity as subscribers to the fund may decide in time to nest and rear their young. The greater number will migrate in the fall, but it is considered certain that they will return here in the spring, as it is a habit of all such birds to return to the place where they were raised. The gentlemen who carry out the plan will be entitled to the lasting gratitude of the citizens of the state and the sweet songs of the birds will keep their memories green till the end of time. At the next legislature a bill will probably be passed to protect these birds. It is likely that there are many who have not yet subscribed to this fund who wish to do so. The party who brings out these birds will return home by way of Panama, and will take with him a general assortment of parrots, paroquets and any other tropical birds he can procure also a lot of monkeys.

MORE HATCHERIES NEEDED.

THE FISH COMMISSIONERS LOOKING FOR A SUITABLE SITE FOR A STATE SALMON HATCHERY.

Although the Oregon and Washington Fish Propagating Company have turned over the Clackamas hatchery to the United States fish commission, the state is in nowise relieved from all responsibility in the matter. The commissioners contend that three hatcheries are necessary to the demands of the Northwest. The state should support one and Washington territory another. Prof. Stone is now at Spokane Falls investigating the feasibility of locating one of the hatcheries there. This task of finding a suitable location seems to be by far the most difficult one the commissioners have met with so far. The streams most desirable are the cold snow streams, the fish are in such waters longer and can therefore be handled to better advantage. When they begin to come up the river they pass by a number of streams, and seem to be heading only for the cold water. Later in the year they of course run into all the tributaries of the Columbia. The Clackamas so far seems to be the best, the water is cold and the run is consequently longer and larger than any other stream. The Des Chutes river east of the mountains is clear and cold, but is so rough and wild that it would be an expensive undertaking to handle fish on it. The water sometimes rises ten or twenty feet during the summer. It would of course be impossible to build a fish rack in such a stream, as it would be carried out two or three times a year. Spokane Falls would be a good point if land could be purchased cheap enough. The falls of the river would save the expense of a fish rack at this place. Gray's river, the Cowlitz, Lewis river and a number of other streams that to the ordinary man would seem to be just the place for hatcheries are totally unfit for the purpose. The water is so warm that the run of salmon is late and of short duration. The Yakima river is under consideration as being perhaps a good point. The Santiam though cold and having a large run of fish, is undesirable, because the chinook do not yet get above the Oregon City falls, only the steel head and silver side salmon making the run. Work on the rack at the Clackamas hatchery has been suspended for the present the recent warm rains having caused a rise of two or three feet in the river.

MINING MEN IN TOWN

H S Gregory a heavy mine owner of the Coeur d'Alenes, is camping at the Holton.

Dr. L. B. White house, of Spokane arrived yesterday at the Esmond via steamer from San Diego on his way home.

John McConnel an old time Nez Perce miner who has superintended the opening up of the Sierra Nevada mine in the Coeur d'Alenes is stopping at the St. Charles.

W. H. Jackson who is opening up the Central mine situated two miles above Mullen on the South Fork, in the Coeur d'Alenes for Moore & Jewett who have the property bonded, is at the St. Charles.

James F. Wardner who was the principal man in bringing the Coeur d'Alene mines "out" and convincing outsiders of their richness, is at the Esmond, down from Spokane with some fine specimens from the new Kootenai strike.

J. G. Beeby formerly of this city, and Don Sullivan, whom the Sullivan mine in the Coeur d'Alenes was named after arrived on yesterday's steamer from San Francisco on their way to the Coeur d'Alenes to look after their numerous mining interests there.

PERSONAL

Mr. B. Campbell general freight agent of the O. R. & N. Co., left for Astoria yesterday morning on business.

Mr. John R. Brigham called at the New York office of THE OREGONIAN March 7. He intended to remain in New York a week longer.

Mr. R. B. Thompson the third member of the committee sent to San Francisco in the interest of the Portland Cable Railway Company returned yesterday morning.

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CALL FOR A REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A Republican Convention for the State of Oregon is called to meet at the city of Portland, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 11th day of April at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to-wit: A presidential elector, three Presidential electors, a Supreme Judge and District Officers and to select four delegates to attend the National Republican convention and to transact such other business as may properly come before the Convention. The Convention will consist of the delegates appointed among the several counties as follows:

Baker	1	Linn	10
Benton	7	Lincoln	10
Clackamas	8	Multnomah	20
Clatsop		Marion	14
Columbia	4	Morrow	5
Coos	7	Multnomah	20
Crook	4	Polk	7
Curry	3	Tillamook	3
Douglas	7	Umatilla	10
Gilliam	4	Union	8
Grant	6	Wallowa	4
Jackson	7	Wasco	8
Josephine	4	Washington	8
Klamath	3	Yamhill	9
Lake	21		
Total			260

The same being one delegate at large from each county and one delegate for every 150 votes and one for every fraction over one-half thereof cast for Hon. Binger Hermann in 1886 at the last general election. The committee recommend that the primaries be held March 31st and the County Conventions April 4th, unless otherwise ordered by the proper county committee. This call is issued by the Republican electors and voters of the State without regard to past political affiliations, who believe in the American principle of protective tariff and dignifying American labor, favor free, popular education of the people, effectually protecting all human rights in every section of our common country, and who desire to promote friendly feeling and permanent harmony throughout the State by maintaining a government pledged to these objects and principles, are cordially invited to unite in selecting delegates to the Republican State Convention.

JOSEPH SIMON, Chairman.
Portland, Or., Feb. 24, 1888. 1st td
Republican papers please copy.

State Treasurer's Thirtieth Notice.

STATE OF OREGON, TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, March 8, 1888.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds on hand in the treasury to pay warrants and that interest on warrants ceases from date of this notice. Warrants will be paid in the order of their presentation at this office. Interest will cease on warrants presented for payment on and after April 8, 1888. Warrants will be paid on presentation at the office of the State Treasurer, Salem, Oregon. Interest will cease on warrants presented for payment on and after April 8, 1888. Warrants will be paid on presentation at the office of the State Treasurer, Salem, Oregon.

COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY, March 13.

Merchandise received or soon to arrive by rail. Car bar iron 50 bbls linseed oil, 32 cs lard, car sheet iron, car stamped ware, 650 t x 80 p l 34 cs canned meat, 12 sks peanuts 475 cs oysters 30 cs can goods, 100 bbls rolled oats 50 cs syrup, 2 bbls 2 cs candy 5 sks spice 5 cs cigars 6 3/4 50 bxs tobacco, car wagons, car spring do and carts 40 bxs chinaware, 20 sks hair, 6 bxs oil cloth 28 cases bottles, 61 doz shovels, 30 bbls earthenware 24 doz spades, 11 bls cordage, 13 cs m linery 1 bl 33 cs dry goods, 72 cs boots and shoes, 3 cs clothing 113 cs hats.

Some anxiety is expressed as to the effect of the new regulations concerning the coinage of silver dollars in Mexico. For some years the Mexican government has farmed out its coinage to private parties and protected them in their business by the imposition of a tax of 9 per cent on all the bullion exported from the country After the 1st of May the government will execute its own coin and reduce the bullion export to 3 per cent. There are some fourteen private mints now in operation in Mexico These mints turn out about $25,000,000 annually About one third of this amount annually passes through San Francisco en route to China There is considerable business in the handling of this coin in that city It is now feared the contemplated change may result in a greater outflow of bullion from Mexico and less coin The Chinese prefer to make shipments in coin rather than bullion

PRODUCE RECEIPTS- Past 24 hours include 32,368 ctls wheat 800 bbls flour 828 ctls oats 1390 ctls barley 123 lbs hides, 11 sks potatoes, 18 cs eggs 8 cs butter

EXPORTS—To San Francisco per str Oregon 11,345 ctls wheat 5094 ctls oats, 3466 qr sks flour, 81 sks rye, 3583 sks potatoes, 100 ctls onions 11 bxs apples, 2500 sks shorts, 15 pls leather 6 bls pelts 50 sks bones, 10 cs mineral water 4 bls blankets, 8 cs woolens 8 bls rags 25 bdls straw paper 18,730 lbs scrap iron 18 cps chickens, 32 000 ft lumber, 263 bdls 200 000 lath, 125 bdls hazel hoops, $281 treasure

WHEAT—Foreign markets are without new interest, and stormy weather East dulls all trade on 'change San Francisco is doing quite a business in options. Our market is quite dull both as to movement and business

OATS—Shipments by steamer did not clean up the stock to go out. Trade is dull

EGGS—The market is some firmer at 15@16c the extreme being frequently obtained.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 13—Business on the stock exchange was more restricted than yesterday There was a firm tone at the opening, with slight advances until trading stopped.

Governments were strong

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, March 13—Money was easy at 2@2½, closed offered 2. Prime mercantile paper, 5@6. Sterling exchange, $4 85¼ for sixty-day bills, $4 87¼ for demand

MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON March 13.—Consols, 101 15-16

NEW YORK, March 13—Sterling exchange, long $4 86 short, $4 88

SAN FRANCISCO March 12—Transfers 17¼ ex change on London, sixty days, $4 85¼, documentary, $4 84¼

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO March 13

Closing board prices			
Opbir	37	Mexican	6 37
Gould & Curry	4 85	Best & Belcher	6 50
Savage	6 87	Con. Cal. & Va.	15 00
Choller	6 12	Potosi	5 62
Hale & Norcross	10 75	Crown Point	7 25
Belcher	6 87	Sierra Nevada	6 00
Bullion	2 50	Exchequer	2 25
Seg. Belcher	4 55	Overman	3 05
Justice	4 50	Union	5 00
Alta	2 80	Andes	1 65
Utah	2 50	North Belle Isle	6 00
Crocker	75	Bodie	2 50
Peer	70	Peerless	1 45

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13 —Receipts—Wheat, 47,800 ctls flour 3100 qr sks, barley 4700 ctls oats, 455 ctls potatoes, 6100 sks.

Wheat—Market quiet, the demand is fair No 1 shipping quoted @ 82½c Buyer season option sales Buyer season 700 tons at $1 37½, 1900 tons at $1 37½, buyer year 400 tons at $1 46¾, 300 tons at $1 46¼ 100 tons at $1 46¾ 500 tons at $1 46¾ On afternoon call Buyer season 2200 tons at $1 37½@38 300 tons at $1 37½, buyer year 300 tons at $1 46¾ 200 tons at $1 46¼, 200 tons at $1 46 and 100 tons at $1 46¼

Barley—Market quiet but the demand is fair No 1 feed quoted at 80c Buyer season opened 83c closed 83½c Buyer year opened 91¼c, closed 91¾c Seller season opened 79½c

Oats—Offerings fair and about even with demands the market is steady

Potatoes—Dull market supplies keeping liberal. Burbanks, $1@1 25, Peerless 90c@$1 10 Garnets, 85@95

Butter and Eggs—Steady

Wool and Hops—Dull

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK March 13.—Wheat opened steady, 91c May 90¾@ June At noon, 91⅜c May, 89¾@ June

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK March 13.—Petroleum was very dull at the opening, and but few brokers were on hand First sales were made at 82c an eighth lower than yesterday's prices moved up [illegible] on the [illegible] of a few buying orders and [illegible] ing at 82½c Sales 15 000 barrels. [illegible] was closed

[illegible] nominal

Other markets were unchanged and nominal.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 13 —Exchange adjourned on account of the storm before any trade was done

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, March 13 —Cattle—Receipts, 6 000 nothing doing. Shippers and feeders, $2 40@3 20. Texas fed steers $3@4 10.

Hogs—Receipts 14,000, strong and 5c higher mixed $5 25@5 45 heavy, $5 35@5 60, light, $5 15@5 40.

Sheep—Receipts 4000 natives $4@5, western, $5@5 90, Texans $3 25@5.

Foreign Markets.

BREADSTUFFS GRAIN REPORT

LONDON March 13.—Floating cargoes wheat quiet, California cargoes off coast quoted 33s 9d. Number wheat cargoes arrived off coast since last report 2, sold 3, now waiting 7

LIVERPOOL, March 13 —Spot wheat and flour rather easier French country markets quiet.

LIVERPOOL, March 13 —Spot wheat opened rather easier Options 6s 8d March 6s 9d April, 6s 9¼d May 6s 9¾d June, 6s 9¾d July Imports into U K last week 135,000 qrs wheat, 155,000 bbls flour

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET

LIVERPOOL, March 13 —Wheat quiet holders offer freely, red Western spring, 6s 7d per cental Corn, dull and lower new mixed Western, 4s 7d per cental.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS

ASTORIA March 13 —Str Oregon arrived down 8 0 A M Str Columbia arrived in at 11 20 A M and left up at 12 30 P M 5 P M, raining, wind southeast bar very rough

PORT TOWNSEND March 14 —Arrived—Bark Columbia, San Francisco

TACOMA, March 13 —Arrived—Str San Pedro, San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Arrived—Br bark Bhotan Calcutta, Br ship Gretna, Newcastle, N S W

SAN PEDRO March 10 —Sailed—Schr Sadie F Caller bark Estella and bktne Skagit coastwise

GRAY S HARBOR March 10 —Arrived—Steamer Signal from San Francisco

THE EAST SIDE.

Albina Schools—Special Council Meeting—Meeting of the Democratic Club

The sixth month of the Albina school closed March 9 with but a single case of corporal punishment and only one of tardiness. The percentage of attendance for the month has been 94 The presence of measles and the results of vaccination have necessarily kept many children out of school from one to three weeks greatly to their detriment But they are beginning to come back and within a few weeks all the school rooms will be crowded again The library is still a very popular institution in the district, especially sought for by Uncle Tom's Cabin The banners for neatest and cleanest room and for tardiness and best percentage of attendance anxiously worked for and greatly prized by the rooms obtaining them.

NOTES

Wood is selling at from $3 50 to $4 a cord in East Portland

Wm Burdin has gone to Yakima to remain permanently

C E Hoyt, of Fairview is in the city at the Russell house.

A Kirkland and family of this city have moved east of the mountains

An entertainment was given in the W C T U hall last night by the ladies of that institution

The small engine that will be used to swing the massive draw of the railroad bridge has been received.

The democratic club will meet in Hall & Stott's hall on the corner of Fourth and J streets this evening

Job Angel of this city has a proposition to go east of the mountains to build a flouring mill in the Walla Walla valley

The telegraph office of the Postal Telegraph Company has been discontinued in East Portland, it proving more of an expense than a source of income

There will be a special meeting of the common council this evening to consider the wharf line ordinance and such other business as may come up for transaction

Hon. E G Hursh who has resided in this city for the past winter has gone to Baker City to begin the publication of a republican paper called the *Oregon Blade*.

Mr and Mrs. L. Nicolai will leave for their tour through Europe to-morrow They will be absent about four months. Monday evening a number of their friends met at Mr. Nicolai's residence and gave them a pleasant farewell reception.

James Guilfoyle, foreman of the work of excavation for the railroad cuts, denies that there was a man injured by the discharge of a blast, as was stated yesterday The item complained of was based on information derived from several workmen who claimed to have witnessed the accident, and was supposed to be entirely correct. How ever, it seems from the statement of the foreman that there must be some mistake It is true that every precaution is taken to prevent accidents when the blasting is being done.

Capt. Van Anken, who has been night captain of the Stark street ferry for many years, will probably take charge of Vancouver ferry about the 1st of April. He has made many friends since he has been in charge, who will regret to see him go elsewhere. His successor has not been named as yet

The street car line is completed across the bridge as far as the draw It will be extended to the office of the bridge company on the west side The tracks will be laid at the headquarters of the company on B street so that the cars can be taken out The horses that will be used on the line will be taken out and driven so they will become used to the track.

IN MEMORIAM.

The remains of Mr Rudolph Lundblad were conveyed yesterday morning to their final resting place in Greenwood cemetery, and laid side by side with a departed sister

Mr Lundblad has been a resident of Oregon for about eighteen years, the latter ten of which were spent in Portland. The writer of this has been intimately acquainted with him since his arrival on this coast, and always found him to be a man of sterling integrity, strictly honest in all his dealings, a kind and affectionate husband and father, and always ready to extend a helping hand to people when called upon to do so He had only been ailing a few days, and being a man of fine physique and exemplary habits it was therefore a great shock to his many friends when they received the intelligence of his sudden demise. The large concourse of friends who paid the last tribute of affection to his memory evidenced thereby the high esteem in which he was held by them Sleep well, old and faithful friend.

THE STAGE.

Another good house greeted the Juvenile opera company in "The Mikado" last night. The public seem to never tire of the music and humor of this very popular opera. The little folks were at their best last evening, and their performance ran much smoother than on the opening night. The three little maids," Ko-Ko and Katisha received numerous encores. Master Teddy Gamble has established himself as the best Ko-Ko we have had, and for one so very young he is very clever little comedian 'The Mikado" will be given only to-night and to-morrow night. Friday evening "Olivette" will be produced, with new costumes, etc. "Olivette" will also be given at the matinee Saturday.

THE HOTELS.

BOLTON.

S I Hibbs, McMinnville		G A Morgan, Hillsboro	
Rev G J Burchett	do	J F Wheeler Meadville	
M Fisk, Warren		P Glenn, The Dalles	
E Bride & wf, Dayton		G J Foster,	do
J Dobson, Chehalis		W C Brown, Amity	
B L Welch, Tacoma		D Graham, New York	
Jas Collins, Hillsboro		M L Tichner, San Fran	
C Colman, Prineville		Miss F Williams,	do
N F Skinner, Vancouver		Miss G Williams,	do
J E Wheeler, Seattle		G L Colwell, Shoomokwa	
J C Lipsk,	do	Miss E Dicers, Monmouth	
H A Hamman,	do	D L Hodges, Independence	
J W Troman, Fargo		R S Isaacs, San Fran	
Mel Cox, Corvallis		F C Easton	do
J T Hart, New York		J B Barton,	do
J L James,	do	W C Camp St Paul	
H Higgins, Helena		Wm James St Paul	
C H Jones, St Paul			

HENRY.

W C McAtee, Tacoma		John Arnold, Iowa	
I Nelson,	do	I B Wilson, North Fowcer	
R Taylor, New York		J Tomlinson, Sacramento	
R E Hixon & wf, Chicago		Mrs J A Chase, Oregonity	
A E Messerd, Los Angeles		P Hit A Wood, Tacoma	
H C Buckley, Ellensburg		Geo Ames,	do
E S Leonard,	do	O B Osborne,	do
J B McMichon, Missoula		H H Irvine, Baltimore	
R L Thomas, Seattle		Thos H Hanson, do	
E DeWitt Smith, Seattle		S L Thorne Bridal Vale	
Jas L Biggins, Chicago		Thos L Morse, Virginia	
F W McMillan, Ohio		D C Stone, North Yakima	
Fred Balch, Hood River		C Cameron, White Salmon	
A Wakefield, Dallas		R D Cameron,	do
John Flick, Missouri		O H Fay, with, LaGrande	
Jacob Weidman, do		Mrs Fay,	do
Maggie Mitchell,	do	G W Creviston, Clyde	
Elizabeth Flick	do	H Edole,	do
Maggie Flick,	do	Mr Elliott, Walla Walla	
Rob Embrll, Wash Co		Mrs Pentlcost,	do

GILMAN.

W R Worth, La Grand		J Clitton, San Francisco	
A Bernstein,	do	Geo Bole	do
J H Hawly McCoy		G Cobb,	do
S W Fletcher	do	T R Speltz,	do
A G Martin, Chicago		I M Green,	do
W M Eldpath,	do	D L Lavorsky,	do
H C Taylor, Coal Bunk's		J W Bristow,	do
O R Thompkins,	do	A Goldschmedt	do
S P Mackey, Lake Silver		H D Bryar,	do
J M Gelbraney, Alfcona,		Geo Cutting	do
Pennsylvania		D A Thude	do
Geo Flemming, Sinnet		F A Baldwin	do
S A Miles, St Helens		Jas Elder, M D	do
G B Hawley	do	J S Reed, Gray's Harbor	
J Grath, Spokane Falls		W Rack & wf Astoria	
S H Ewalt, Dalles		Joe Leve,	do
R S Reins,	do	J B Ganey Pueblo, Cal	
C A Peabody, W W		J L Davis Oakland	
S Coleman	do	J Corkish & wf	do
I Elligan Lannaes, Mo		D L Oalles The Dalles	
Mrs F Young	do	A Bottinger	do

ST CHARLES.

I M Smithers, Renton		J Brady Seattle	
A B May, Victoria		J R James, Centralia	
P Hosats, Cathlamet		F W Lang	do
P S Bonser, Sauvie's		J H Webb, New York	
S H Erwin, Waitsburg		L C Washburn Newberg	
H A Gray, Victoria		C W Burrage, Spokane	
Mrs J T Smith, Newberg		A S Watt Forest Grove	
W E Dunbar Goldendal		S Bozorth Salem	
F Lloed, Keyview		W W Stevens, Fossil	
D McCully, Salem		Mrs DeLisle, The Dalles	
A J Goodbrod, Union		L T Barin, Oregon City	
E E Gates,	do	W Beckbelt, Cascades	
R Thompson & Bonsyl		J A Hogleton, Salem	
G Schoffenberger, Seattle		Miss Stevens, Seattle	
W T Hathaway Chicago		C W Barnett, Sout Prarie	
H N Ramsdell, San Fran		F R Reed, Yakima	
H W Cole,	do	E J Moore St Louis	
C Willis, Pendleton		T J Wilson Halsey	
T C Bird, Goldendale		M D Egbert, Walla Walla	
W H Boyd, La Camas		S J LaFrance, Hood River	
H A Wright,	do	E Hamilton, Vancouver	
F A Ashby Harrisburg		A F Barclay Oregon City	
A P Reed, Baker City		T C Cathbertson	do
B Ettelson Sprague			

ESMOND.

T A Turner, McMinnville		S Marks & w, W Walla	
Miss M Shaw, Eugene		J A Beaver, Omaha	
Miss S Middleton, Hood R		B C Drager, Chicago	
Miss G Middleton,	do	J M James, Sheridan	
G W Prosser, Oswego		J F Warder, Spokane	
J W Cox, St Paul		T E Fell, Heppner	
R Boyd, Cincinnati		Mrs H M Porter Oakland	
G A Croft,	do	R W Clay, Philadelphia	
A Anderson Chehalis		R L Rush Pomeroy	
Mrs A Harris, Amity		G W Cole, St Helens	
Mrs E Jackson	do	W H Blee & w Ohio	
A F McClaine, Tacoma		Chas Pimm, Chicago	
J Newman Sprague		J L Bettiger St Louis	
G W Baker, Des Moines		A C Phillips, Ft Townsend	
W H Baker,	do	Geo E Boyles, St Paul	
D Wainey,	do	T Hodgkins, Quinn s	
F E A Denman, Victoria		J H Lang, Chehalis	
Miss Delaville & sis,	do	C W Maynard,	do
C A Holland,	do	John Kangler, Streator	
H J Morton San Francsc		J Evans, Cold Creek	
Frank Cambler,	do	T J Harris, Lafayette	
Ed Cambler	do	F Ternahan, Clackamas Pnt	
Con Sullivan,	do	F Barnes, Los Angeles	
L H Whitehouse, Spokane		J Nelson, Monticello	
J G Scoby	do	S Ternahan, Bradbury	
Mrs S P Woodlander, Ft Scott, Kansas			

QUIMBY.

T L Robertson & w, City		M R Kelley, Cascades	
John Chamberlain,	do	R Singer, Sheridan	
M Cassey,	do	I G Burnham Coldendy	
I W Polley Cedarville		B Harley, Curreasville	
Mrs Polley & 3 ch,	do	B Hailey,	do
John Brown,	do	Mrs Hailey & 2 ch,	do
L Eggenberger, Missouri		C W Sanger,	do
John Eggenberger,	do	J Wilson, City	
C P Hunt, O R N Co		R S Smith, Kansas City	
Mrs Wilkinson, Lexington		Thos Starr, Gunnison	
J Montgomery Dalles		H Goldsey Memphis	
John Lee & 3 Indians		F H Hobery, Baker City	
Chemawa		Rev F A Selna, Fenditon	
I P Coburn Lewiston		G Farrar, Saratoga, Wis	
Mrs A A Cropper, do		R Pemble Illinois	
C H Berger	do	E C Lemenbaugh, do	
W F Sims Clark, W T		R Pimble & fm,	do
I T Rose O C R R		Bob Smith, Umatilla	
R L Aikens Centralia		A Rickerby, Clatskanine	
J Hallett Victoria		H Allman	do
I F Smith, Miller Dak		F Tompsett, Seattle	
C Barber, Marcelons		C Dwyer, Halsey	
S L Wisler	do	M Fisk, Warren, Or	
J H Baumtiner, Hoosick		Thos Starr Gunnison	
C M Shaw, City		H A Hammon City	
Mrs C Miller, Tacoma		H H Collard, Weston W T	
T Raw, Eugene		F Beardsth,	do
M Raw	do	C A Hoyt,	do
Mrs Tuscerlch & 3c Iowa		Wm A Frazee	do
D Vandergrood Wills		J Achman Lyons Mich	
F B Loppington,	do	C T Barris	do
I McLeod	do	H D Brown, Olympia	
Robt Chambers, Virginia			

INTERNATIONAL

D J Ar lrews Cal		Geo Bowen Astoria	
H O Thompson	do	Miss James,	do
J Rock	do	Miss Davis	do
A Shilmaker Vancuver		Geo Anderson	do
C Rock	do	C Walton	do
W H Smythe	do	J Venler	do
D C Smith Iowa		H S Galloway Lagrande	
G I Mickens	do	H Hartman	do
O Metcalf	do	T M Forest Kansas	
J H Fxler Ohio		A S Trum	do
J W Long	do	A Watgreen	do
H Igler	do	J L Roberts Missouri	
C V Andrew	do	Mrs Roberts & 1 ch,	do
A Needham Rich Hill		B Rouse	Mo
F Needham	do	Mrs L Case & 2 ch	do
W G Gemmel Kansas		H McIntosh Salem, Iowa	
T Cathertson,	do	C Andres Ohio	
C I England	do	G Benssa	do
J Miller Nebraska		A S Brubaker do	
C A Rose,	do	J R Petts, New York	
J West	do	H Render, Kansas	
B G Magoon, do		J Craw	do
Calten Illinois		J Hinetine	do
I Tramville	do	C A Dunlap, Kelghly	
A Caldwell, do		F Epstein	do
Mrs Fitzpatrock & ch	do	H L Miller Corvallis	
T Cehlen Iowa		S Ferguson	do
A J Esprozoya & sl	Cy	B C Thompson	do
J W Dusk	do	F McPherson Eugene	
L Hungbanker Halsey		J W Petrie & wf	do
T B Haw Seattle		C Jones	do
A Mckenzie & wf Scap		D Lovenspargen	do
B H Bryan Tacoma		C N Morris Newberry	
Mrs E Thomas & ch	Or nts	A Flynn Lafayette	
C N Dickens	Mo	H Dymes	do
M J Malley McMinn		J Buck	do
W J Tunbridge Indep		R South	do
J Masterson	do	B F Wade & Wm	
J McGee	do	C Richard	do
E Bohlman,	do	A W Miles Miami	
J F Hammond Maine		J Miller	do
W L Gould San Diego		W A Nearhoff, Cal	
D Buchanan, Cal		F Mayers	do
G W Porter, Penn		I Baker	do
D S Walton, Cal		H A Minor, Cal	

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FROM SALEM.

Accident—Bonds Filed—Writ of Mandamus Issued—Etc.

SALEM, Or, March 13.—J. J. Base and daughter, Mrs Truitt, were thrown from a buggy this afternoon on Court street, and painfully, though not seriously injured.

The contract for the wood work in two rooms in the southeast corner of the state house was to-day awarded to E W Starr for $200

Superintendent Downing, of the penitentiary, to-day filed bonds with the secretary of state after approval by the governor They are for ten thousand dollars, and the sureties are Henry Warren, J J Dalrymple, A. N. Gilbert and G W Johnson

The supreme court yesterday issued an alternative writ of mandamus to require Judge Stearns of the circuit court of Multnomah to sign a bill of exceptions in the case of the Chinese murderers

The board of commissioners for the building of the Pine creek wagon road for which the legislature of 1885 appropriated $6000, to-day through Chairman D P. McDaniel and Secretary J W Strange, filed a report of receipts and disbursements with the secretary of state. From it it appears that $12,838 15 was paid out for building of the road, bridges, etc., and $2 460 25 for sundries, attorney fees, etc

The sunken steamer N S. Bentley is being raised by the Three Sisters and a barge from Portland. She will be taken down the river for repairs.

CALIFORNIA.

MEXICAN COINAGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—The Mexican government, having decided to resume the coinage of silver dollars is contemplating the removal of the 9 per cent. export duty on bullion which it protected the interests of private parties who have hitherto executed coinage. There are at present some fourteen private mints in Mexico, by which $25,000,000 is annually turned out. The Mexican dollar is a medium of exchange in China, and large quantities of them are imported by banks, as well as by Chinese merchants, who pay with them for goods purchased in this country. About one-third the entire amount carried passes through San Francisco and is handled by merchants and brokers here.

DOLPH'S COAST DEFENSE BILL.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Editorially this evening the Bulletin says: It is to be hoped that Dolph's bill providing for coast defense, which has been favorably reported to the senate will become a law, rather than the house bill. Dolph's measure is to the point and effective It lays out a complete scheme and provides for its execution within a certain time at a certain rate of progress, while the house bill merely appropriates a sum for starting the work, without any definite plan in view and with no assurance that the work commenced under it will be completed"

SHORT IN HIS ACCOUNTS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—John S. Moran, a young man who was for several years employed as superintendent of the South warehouse, was arrested this afternoon on a charge of felony embezzlement. Moran was discharged about two months ago, and when an examination of his books was made it was found that he was $1600 behind in his accounts. He was at that time in the East and complaint was not made against him until his return, a few days ago.

FOR EXTORTING MONEY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—John K. Moore was arrested this evening on a charge of felony and his bail fixed at $7000, in default of which he was conveyed to the county jail In November last the grand jury indicted Moore for illegally claiming title to all that part of San Francisco lying west of Larkin street from the bay to the county line, and extorting money from a large number of property owners.

ONE MEXICAN KILLS ANOTHER.

FRESNO, March 13.—It is learned that last Monday two Mexican woodchoppers at Hildreth this county, Pasqual Barcas and Valentine Dias became involved in a quarrel over an old land Barcas followed Dias to his cabin near Hildreth and while attempting to force an entrance into the cabin was shot twice in the head with a pistol and killed instantly. Dias surrendered to the constable and was brought to this city to-day

IN MEMORY OF THE EMPEROR.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—The committee having in charge the ceremonies to commemoration of the late Emperor William met last evening at the City Hall. Several speeches were made and decided to hold exercises Friday evening in the Grand Opera house. The programme consists of selections by the orchestra, poem, oration, passage of resolutions in respect to the late emperor's memory to be telegraphed to Berlin, chorus.

WORKING CONVICTS AT NIGHT

SAN QUENTIN, March 13.—The experiment of working convicts on the night shift system until midnight in the San Quentin state prison late until commencement last evening, from present indications promises to be a success About 300 prisoners were taken to the mill at 4 30 P. M. and relieved the day shift thus enabling the looms and entire machinery to remain steadily working without stopping until midnight.

VERDICT FOR MRS FOLTZ

SAN FRANCISCO March 13 —A verdict of $1450 was rendered by the jury in one of the superior courts to-night in favor of Mrs Clara M. Foltz, and against Dr Henry H. Cogswell, for services rendered by Mrs. Foltz in aiding the passage of a bill through the legislature reconveying to Cogswell land in the city granted by him to the regents of the state university for the purpose of establishing a dental college

END OF A LONG CONTESTED CASE

SAN DIEGO, March 13 —The long-contested condemnation suit of the San Diego Land and Town Company against George W. Bell closed this afternoon Suit was brought to condemn land now occupied by the Sweetwater dam and reservoir which supplies National City with water The jury rendered an award of $280 an acre for 400 acres, or about $112,000

FOR AN OSTRICH RANCH

RED BLUFF, March 13—H Kraft, banker has sold to J C Stackelay of Oakland about 250 acres, five miles north of Red Bluff, on the Sacramento river, for an ostrich farm. Mr. Stackelay, in a few days will put up a building and move his ostriches up here from Los Angeles He paid about $4 000 for the ranch The news created great excitement here when the facts became known

AGAINST A SCOTCH SYNDICATE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—The secretary of the interior has requested the attorney-general to bring suit for cancellation of patents issued on certain timber entries in Humboldt land district It is thought here that this is aimed at the operations of a Scotch syndicate, which claims 90 000 acres, more or less, of redwood timber in that district.

FEBRUARY FIRE LOSSES

SAN FRANCISCO March 13.—The *Pacific Underwriter* furnishes the following figures in relation to Pacific coast fires during the month of February as reported by general agencies and local companies California, $105 300 Oregon, $4808 Montana, $3112 Washington territory $10,030, Wyoming territory, $1638

PERSONAL

SAN FRANCISCO March 13 — Mrs Nesmith, widow of the late United States Senator J W Nesmith, of Oregon, arrived here to-day from her home in Salem. She is accompanied by several friends. All are stopping at the Lick.

Levi Ackeny, a business man of Walla Walla is in town.

THE SACRAMENTO ELECTION

SACRAMENTO, March 13 —The city election to-day resulted in a crushing defeat to the regular republican ticket Independent republicans and democrats combined and received majorities from 114 to 1360.

HELD ON A CHARGE OF MURDER.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Thomas N Bateman, private in the regular army, who shot and killed Sergeant Soper at the Presidio was held to answer by Police Judge Lawlor to-day a charge of murder

TWENTY-ONE YEARS

EUREKA, March 13.—E H. Canman convicted of murder in the second degree for killing E Davis, of Rhonerville, was sentenced to-day by Judge Behaven to twenty-one years in San Quentin.

DROWNED

HYDESVILLE, March 13.—A man named Ellis agent for a photograph enlarging company was drowned in the Vandozen to-day about noon. The body has not yet been found

FIRE IN A VESSEL

SAN FRANCISCO March 13 —Fire between decks in the British bark Rosella Castle damaged the woodwork and sails to the extent of $300.

BENSON'S BAIL REDUCED.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13 —U S Circuit Judge Sawyer this afternoon reduced the bail of John A Benson from $60 000 to $30,000.

SHIPPING

SAN FRANCISCO March 13 —Cleared—Ship Silverdale Port Townsend

EASTERN NEWS ITEMS.

THE FAST MAIL SERVICE

CHICAGO, March 13 —The new contract for the fast mail service between Chicago and Council Bluffs, which was awarded jointly between the government and the Burlington railroad several weeks ago and was to have gone into effect to-day has been postponed for one week in consequence of the trouble on that road

Superintendent Nash of the railway mail service now here says it is the intention to establish a fast mail east to make New York in twenty-five hours from Chicago and in 12 hours from San Francisco

COMPLAINTS OF INCOMPETENCY

LINCOLN Neb March 13 —The state board of transportation for some time past have been in receipt of numerous complaints and petitions setting forth that the Burlington & Missouri River railway is employing incompetent engineers and firemen, thereby endangering the lives and property of the public The secretaries of the board have been instructed to investigate the matter and report findings as quickly as possible

NO CHANGE AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO March 13 —Judge Gresham has announced that he will render a decision in the Wabash case to-morrow morning

There is no change in the situation of the Burlington strike

G A R REUNION

CHEYENNE Wyo, March 13 —The G A R encampment for the department of Colorado is in session here Over 1000 veterans from Colorado and this territory are in town The visitors have the freedom of the city Covers for 5000 people were laid at a campfire to-night.

A VILLAGE BURNING

PITTSBURG March 11—It is reported to-night that the village of Harrisville West Virginia is burning No further information has been received

ENGLAND

COMING HOME AT ONCE.

LONDON March 13 —John J Sullivan who left here for Liverpool yesterday morning will immediately start for America.

ONLY ONE SEAMAN SAVED

LONDON March 13 —The steamer City of Peter was sunk in Bristol channel Only one seaman was saved.

THE DEPRESSION IN AGRICULTURE

LONDON, March 13 —The existing agriculture depression was a subject of discussion in the house of lords last night. Lord Salisbury, while avowing a belief that there are strong economical arguments against free trade said for political reasons he was unable to accept protection as a remedy for the existing evil.

UTAH.

NOTES FROM SALT LAKE.

SALT LAKE March 13 —It is asserted by Utah Central officials here that the death of Vice-President Potter will not interfere with the extension of the Utah Central to Calfort la

The commissioners nominated to negotiate a $150 000 loan for the territory meet here next 20th day.

CANADA.

INDIAN OUTBREAK FEARED.

ST PAUL March 13 —A Winnipeg special says, Settlers in the northwest territories are greatly alarmed over the prospects of an Indian outbreak. The Indians have been suffering greatly from lack of food, etc., and are ripe for a revolt. Settlers are urging the government to strengthen the mounted police

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY

DENVER, March 13 —The jury in the famous poisoning case of Mrs. John A Wotter charged with murdering her husband by giving him arsenic, which has been on trial here nearly three weeks, to-night returned a verdict of not guilty, after being out only two hours.

GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE ELECTED

WINNIPEG Manitoba, March 13 —The government candidate was elected in North Dufferin yesterday by a large majority over a former member of the Norquay government.

THE COURTS.

U S. CIRCUIT

U S vs Wm Ball, Henry H. Daniels and W. S Powell trial jury out.

U S vs Wm Ball, Henry M. Daniels and W. S Powell trial jury out.

STATE CIRCUIT NO 1

H H. Dunlway vs. Charles E Angell, on trial

C E Tilton vs W H. Harris cause dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

A. Farrar vs Henry Plummer, confirmation of sale

Henry Weinhard vs Paul Rothenbental judgment by default.

STATE CIRCUIT NO 2.

State vs. Wm. E. Daly, motion for new trial denied sentenced to the penitentiary for one year

State vs Al Herron, sentenced to the penitentiary for one year.

State vs. Al. Frazier, sentenced to the penitentiary for one year

W S. Ladd vs. Margaret W Burton, defendant allowed ten days to answer

H Swift, Jr., vs. M F Mulkey and Wm. Lair Hill, verdict for defendant.

SCHOOL REPORT

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR THE MONTH ENDING MARCH 8, 1888.

SCHOOLS.	No. Belonging	Av. Daily Attendance	Av. Daily Absence	Per Cent of Attendance	No. Cases Tardiness	No. Cases Corporal Punishment	No. Cases Suspension
High	261	253	7	96	0	5	5
L Waddale	272	258	14	95	0	10	10
Park	338	317	21	93	3	6	6
Harrison	338	317	21	93	8	8	8
North	639	614	24	96	1	7	1
Couch	552	516	36	93	1	2	
Failing	1000	949	51	95	12	12	
Ainsworth	192	175	17	91	2	2	
Totals	3314	3150	234	95	27	50	2

T H. CRAWFORD, City Supt.

ELLENSBURG NOTES.

ELLENSBURG, W. T., March 10

New residences are going up all over the city.

The baseball and fishing seasons have just commenced.

There is not a vacant building in the city, the last being rented on Tuesday.

The hotels are at present crowded with strangers who come to take in Kittitas valley and its surroundings.

Miners are outfitting for the Salmon river mines and the Swauk every day. Three going out on Saturday.

Two bachelors, whose names could not be learned, were burned out near the N P. roundhouse on Friday morning

The fire boys were out for a drill on Friday afternoon, and the way they handled the machine made the oldest Ellensburg citizen "smile."

Mr L. D Drake, of Dayton, W. T., is in town, with a view of erecting one of the finest opera houses in Central Washington if a suitable site can be obtained

Ellensburg Fire Co. No 1 organized Thursday evening with about thirty-five members. The following officers were elected A Miles, president, I B Kauffman, secretary Edward Dickson, treasurer, William McGuire, foreman, C. B Hickman, first assistant foreman Charles Dickson, second assistant foreman. The company meets regularly on Thursday evening of each week at the council chamber.

The contract has been let to John Holland, of Portland, to build the new steamer City of Ellensburg, to ply between a point on this side of the Columbia and a point near the mines. She will have steel bulkhead and machinery of the most powerful kind, and will be able to carry 100 tons The machinery is being built in Seattle especially for her, and will be ready to put in early next month The lumber is nearly all on the ground, with the exception of the natural crooks for knees, which have been purchased in Portland and will be shipped to Kennewick this week Mr. Holland will give his personal attention to the building of this vessel, and guarantees to have her riding the noble waters of the Columbia by May 1.

THE CASE OF AUGUST ANDERSON

VANCOUVER, March 10

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN.

In this morning's issue of your paper I notice a report concerning the case of August Anderson, in which the writer not only conceals facts but misstates and perverts them. Young Anderson was charged with "assault with intent to commit rape" on a 6-year-old girl, punishable with from one to fourteen years in the penitentiary It was deem